UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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This Document Relates to:

All Actions (except Case Nos. 00-Civ-2185; 00-Civ-3117; 00-Civ-2329)

M.D.L. No. 1285

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AMENDED [PROFESED] STIPULATION EXTENDING PLAINTIFFS'
TIME TO RESPOND TO UCB S.A.'S MOTION TO AMEND AND
CERTIFY THE ORDER OF OCTOBER 30, 2001 FOR IMMEDIATE APPEAL

WHEREAS, on November 21, 2001, UCB S.A. served a motion pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1292(b) requesting certification of this Court's October 30, 2001 Order Re: UCB Motion to Dismiss; and

WHEREAS, direct action plaintiffs have requested one additional week to respond to UCB S.A.'s motion in light of the intervening Thanksgiving holidays following service of this motion on plaintiffs;

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between direct action plaintiffs and UCB S.A. that direct action plaintiffs shall have until December 12, 2001 to respond to UCB S.A.'s Motion to Amend and Certify the Order of October 30, 2001 for Immediate Appeal.

Dated: December 4, 2001

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So Ordered.

Dated: 1 December 2001

Thomas F. Hogan United States District Judge

¹ Case Nos. 00-Civ-2185, 00-Civ-3117, and 00-Civ-2329 are excluded from this Stipulation.